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~~Abstract~~

~~A sustained-release microparticle comprising a 1,2-benzazole within a polymeric matrix. One sustained-release microparticle can be produced by including risperidone in the form of crystals into a biodegradable and biocompatible polymer, such as poly(lactic) acid, poly(glycolic) acid, and the copolymers of the foregoing. The sustained-release microparticles can be formulated in a liquid injection vehicle for administration to animals suffering from mental illness.~~

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